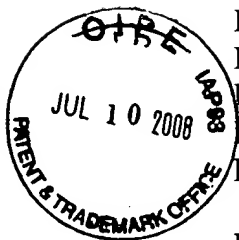


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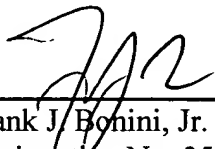
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This is in response to the office action dated January 9, 2008, and supplements the Amendment filed on July 2, 2008.

Claim 17, a new claim, included brackets around text, which are now removed in the supplemented amendment filed herewith. The enclosed amendment is being filed within the extension period, and no fee is believed to be due.

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